



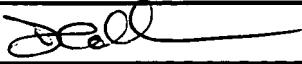
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Bally Monte Carlo: 1-page sheet enclosed with Oct. 18, 2001 letter showing and describing 1977 Bally Monte Carlo game.
Bally Monte Carlo: 1-page advertisement enclosed with Oct. 18, 2001 letter showing Bally Monte Carlo game, dated 1978.
Bally Monte Carlo: 1-page document enclosed with Oct. 18, 2001 letter listing model numbers, names and release dates for various Bally games, including Model Nos. 1117 for Danish Monte Carlo released Jan. 5, 1977 and Model No. 1117-1 for Australian Monte Carlo released Jan. 18, 1977.
Bally Monte Carlo: 1-page document enclosed with Oct. 18, 2001 letter showing image of three 2001 Bally Monte Carlo slot machines.
Bally Monte Carlo Slot Machine #1: Oct. 19, 2001 email from Robert Kovelman to Joseph Walkowski.
Bally Monte Carlo Slot Machine #1: Document with original color image of upper portion of 1977 Bally Monte Carlo slot machine #1 enclosed with Oct. 19, 2001 email.
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